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**APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CREATING MODERATED FORUMS**

**APPAREIL ET PROCEDE PERMETTANT DE CREER DES FORUMS ANIMES**

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**English Abstract:**

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A method of creating forums in a system of computers includes the maintenance of a forum list by a forum controller. Each participant in each forum in the system of computers is encoded in the forum list. When a user creates a forum, the forum is added to the forum list by the forum controller. Any user in the system may create a forum. Forums may be designated as public or private and may be password protected. Forums may also be designated as moderated or unmoderated. Some participants in moderated forums can evict or ban other participants from the forum. Some participants in moderated forums determine which participants will have a right to speak. Forums designated controlled forums limit the maximum number of participant who may speak at any time.

**French Abstract:**

La presente invention concerne un procede permettant de creer des forums dans un systeme d'ordinateurs qui comprend le maintien d'une liste de forums par un controleur de forum. Chaque participant dans chaque forum du systeme d'ordinateurs est code dans une liste de forums. Lorsqu'un utilisateur cree un forum, ce forum est ajoute a la liste de forum par le controleur de forum. Tout utilisateur dans le systeme peut creer un forum. Ces forums peuvent etre specifiés publics ou prives et peuvent etre proteges par mot de passe. Ces forums peuvent aussi etre specifiés animés ou non animés. Certains participants de forums animés peuvent exclure du forum ou interdire de forum d'autres participants. Certains participants de forums animés determinent quels participants auront un droit de parole. Les forums specifiés forums controles limitent le nombre maximum de participants qui peuvent parler a tout moment.

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Publication	20010719	A1	With international search report.

**Detailed Description:**

...the participant is added to the list of people with microphones 74 that ios associated with the forum 48.

In one embodiment, the creator of **forum 48** specifies the **maximum** number of 1 0 microphones **allowed in** a moderated controlled **forum**. Within this limit, participants in the **forum** having moderation privileges grant or take away microphones as needed by adding participants to the list of people with microphones 74. The creator of the...

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**BUSINESS ALLIANCE IDENTIFICATION**

SYSTEME, PROCEDE ET ARTICLE DE PRODUCTION POUR L'IDENTIFICATION D'ALLIANCES COMMERCIALES DANS UN CADRE D'ARCHITECTURE RESEAU

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MR; NE; SN; TD; TG;

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#### English Abstract:

A system, method and article of manufacture are provided for identifying alliances among a plurality of business entities in components of a network framework. First, alliances are identified among a plurality of business entities in terms of components of a current network framework. Next, a pictorial representation is displayed of the current network framework and the components. The alliances are then conveyed by indicia coding the components of the current network framework in which the alliances exist.

#### French Abstract:

La présente invention concerne un système, un procédé et un article de production permettant d'identifier les alliances au sein d'un groupe de plusieurs entités commerciales en terme de composants d'un cadre de réseau. Tout d'abord, les alliances sont identifiées parmi un groupe de plusieurs entités commerciales en terme de composants d'un cadre de réseau en cours. Ensuite, une représentation graphique du réseau en cours et des composants est affichée. Les alliances sont alors acheminées en codant les composants du cadre de réseau en cours dans lequel les alliances existent avec des marques.

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Search Rpt	20010525		Late publication of international search report
Republication	20010525	A3	With international search report.

#### Detailed Description:

...Internet  
through in-context document turnaround capabilities, and  
customizable prepackaged forms.

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A comprehensive set of components that integrates browsing,  
email, web-based word processing, chat, and group scheduling to  
allow users to communicate, share, and access information.

Business2 Product2 includes.

Product3 - web browser with support for  
Java, JavaScript, and SSL

Product4 - an Internet mail client.

Product5 - a web authoring tool.

Instant...

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**INTERNET GROUP BROADCAST SYSTEM AND METHOD**

**TELEDISCUSSION AVEC CREATION DE FORUM PAR HEURE DE LA JOURNEE**

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**English Abstract:**

When a person requests access to a chat session, the time of the request is used to determine which chat room the person is placed. Other parameters are used to determine the surrounding factors, or context, within which the person initiated the request, such as the particular television program that the person was watching at the time of the request. By forming chat rooms based on the time of entry and the context in which the request is made, the chat rooms are likely to contain people with a common topic to discuss, such as the television news story being broadcast at that time. These time-of-entry chat rooms can also be structured to be of limited duration, obviating the overhead burden of deleting topic-specific chat rooms when the topic ceases to be of interest.

**French Abstract:**

Selon cette invention, lorsqu'une personne demande d'accéder à une causerie, le temps de la demande est utilisé pour déterminer dans quel forum de discussion se trouve la personne. D'autres paramètres sont utilisés pour déterminer les facteurs environnants, ou le contexte dans lequel la personne a lancé la demande tel que l'émission de télévision spécifique que regardait la personne au moment de la demande. En formant des forums de discussions en se basant sur le temps d'entrée et sur le contexte dans lequel est faite la demande, les forums de discussion sont censés réunir des gens ayant un sujet de discussion commun tel que les actualités télévisées diffusées à ce moment-là. Ces forums de discussion à temps d'entrée peuvent également être structurés de façon à avoir une durée limitée, à éviter les frais indirects d'annulation de forums spécifiques lorsque le sujet n'a plus d'intérêt.

**Detailed Description:**

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terminal, and validating the key data. Each of the key data is indicative of purchase of a physical token, and is associated with player data. Each user is allowed access to an **online game of skill running on** a server, and is playable via the respective user terminals. Gaming inputs associated with the game are accepted from the users via the respective user...

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#### Self-policing, rate limiting online forums

Selbst-überwachende Online-Foren, bei welchen auch verhindert wird, dass einzelne Benutzer übermassig viele Nachrichten verschicken

Forums de discussion en ligne avec auto-contrôle et a limitation

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A method and means for self-policing and automatically rate-limiting multiple-user online forums. The preferred embodiment of the invention includes a set of rules that permit users to censure other users. A censured user has one or more "privileges" (which may include access to the online computer system or the effective message rate of a communications connection) taken away or diminished; the privilege is gradually restored if the censure user behaves. The censoring participant and other pertinent participants are notified of the effect of the censoring on the censured user. In another aspect of the invention, the online computer system automatically tracks the rate at which a user sends certain types of messages, and can message rate limit a user who uses too many system resources by sending a large number of messages in rapid succession.

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**Specification:** ...direct communication between users, such as the Instant Message(TM) feature of the America Online computer service) for a specified amount of time before being **allowed** to "evil" **another user in that forum**; this reduces "hit-and-run flaming". The minimum amount of time may vary from forum to forum, and from user to user (e.g., a..

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**TECHNOLOGY SHARING DURING ASSET MANAGEMENT AND ASSET TRACKING IN A NETWORK-BASED SUPPLY CHAIN ENVIRONMENT AND METHOD THEREOF**

**PARTAGE TECHNOLOGIQUE LORS DE LA GESTION ET DU SUIVI DU PARC INFORMATIQUE DANS UN**

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**Detailed Description:**

...requested access is beyond an allowable duration of access since the time the chat network was created, and whenever the number of users reaches a **maximum allowable** number of users in each **chat network**. In extended access duration sessions, such as the aforementioned football game, the network former 130 may reopen access as users leave the chat session...

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**User interconnecting method through Internet for computer games, involves allocating prize to winner, based on gaming input by user after validation of key data, using game software**

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NOVELTY - A key data indicating the purchase of physical token e.g. card and player data are accepted from the user terminals. A gaming input associated with online game running on the server, is accepted from respective user terminals, after validating the key data. A prize is allocated to the winner among the users in network, based on game skill of user and gaming input of the user, using the gaming software.

USE - For interconnection of users through communication network such as Internet, for playing online competitive computer games like ultima online and everquest games including dungeons and dragons style adventure games, and car racing game.

ADVANTAGE - An Internet game that offers new revenue stream opportunities, additional incentives for winning players is suitably achieved by connecting the users through network and validating the user data through a token system.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS - The figure shows a flowchart of the user interconnecting method.

**Title Terms /Index Terms/Additional Words:** USER; INTERCONNECT; METHOD; THROUGH; COMPUTER; GAME; ALLOCATE; PRIZE; WINNING; BASED; INPUT; AFTER; VALID; KEY; DATA; SOFTWARE

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...may notify a user when another user is online. Further, chat rooms could be dynamically created which could restrict access to known users or could **permit** open public access. Moderated **chat** sessions would also be **allowed**. Optionally, the **chat** capabilities could permit posting and retrieving of public and private messages, such as on electronic bulletin boards.

GENERATE COORDINATED AND TARGETED MESSAGES (OUTBOUND E-MAIL... ..stored for later reply. A user is also allowed to register for branding usage. Media kits may be provided.

#### WEB APPLICATION SERVICES TO MANAGE CUSTOMER **RELATIONSHIPS**

As shown in component 5306 of Figure 53, one embodiment of the present invention is provided for affording a combination of web application services to manage customer **relationships**.

Figure 67 illustrates component 5306 in more detail. As shown in Figure 67, profile data of a plurality of users is managed and organized in... ..needs Provides dynamic content and applications to people with similar preferences or business needs

Communities can be created by configurable business rules

5 The customer **relationship** management component of the present invention, in operation 6702, provides static content and applications to people with similar

preferences and business needs. Dynamic content is... ..to personal profile information

Content matching rules are defined by configurable business rules

Uses metadata and business rules to match content to profiles

The customer **relationship** management component of the present invention permits matching of web content and advertisements to specific user profiles. Note operation 6704 of Figure 67.

Personalized recommendations... ..automatically processes interactive online forms

Displays and analyzes real time survey reports in text and graphic format

Downloads collected information for offline needs

The customer **relationship** management component of the present invention also receives customer feedback and takes surveys in operation 6706. Creation, administration, and 1 5 maintenance of multiple online feedback forms and surveys is automated, as is delivery and processing of the forms and surveys. Internal users are **allowed** to access results from web browsers. Survey results are analyzed and displayed in text and graphic format. Optionally, users may be permitted to view current survey results..

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**COLLABORATIVE CAPACITY PLANNING AND REVERSE INVENTORY MANAGEMENT DURING DEMAND AND SUPPLY PLANNING IN A NETWORK-BASED SUPPLY CHAIN ENVIRONMENT AND METHOD THEREOF**  
PLANIFICATION EN COLLABORATION DES CAPACITES ET GESTION ANTICIPEE DES STOCKS LORS DE LA  
PLANIFICATION DE L'OFFRE ET DE LA DEMANDE DANS UN ENVIRONNEMENT DE CHAÎNE  
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**Detailed Description:**

...audio, etc.)

Links to web pages for easy access to published documents

Facilitates discussions across multiple discussion groups

Finds information with search and notification tools

**Allows participation** in discussions via email

Allows **forum** moderation by users and administrators

Allows **group** membership control by users and administrators

Operation 6604 of Figure 66 provides for a plurality of newsgroups to which users can subscribe.

Sending and receipt...

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**METHOD FOR AFFORDING A MARKET SPACE INTERFACE BETWEEN A PLURALITY OF MANUFACTURERS AND SERVICE PROVIDERS AND INSTALLATION MANAGEMENT VIA A MARKET SPACE INTERFACE**

PROCEDE DE MISE A DISPOSITION D'UNE INTERFACE D'ESPACE DE MARCHÉ ENTRE UNE PLURALITE DE FABRICANTS ET DES FOURNISSEURS DE SERVICES ET GESTION D'UNE INSTALLATION VIA UNE INTERFACE D'ESPACE DE MARCHÉ

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#### Detailed Description:

...well as an increased speed of its development.

Programming languages are beginning to fully support the OOP principles, such as encapsulation, inheritance, polymorphism, and composition-**relationship**. With the advent of the C++ language, many commercial software developers have embraced OOP. C++ is an OOP language that offers a fast, machine-executable...

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